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IN THE HOUSE

BY MR. HOPE

HOUSE BILL NO. 88

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
SECOND LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

A BILL

For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to the licensing of commercial fishermen, vessels, and gear; amending Art. III, Ch. 94, SLA 1959 as amended by Chs. 14 and 131, SLA 1960; and providing for an effective date."

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:

Section 1. Art. III, Ch. 94, SLA 1959 as amended by Chs. 14 and 131, SLA 1960 is amended to add a new section 8A to read:

Sec. 8A. LICENSING OF SMALL COMMERCIAL OPERATIONS. Any person who is a licensed commercial fisherman in Alaska and employs in commercial fishing only one vessel which is not more than 18 feet in length and is powered by a motor of not more than 10 horsepower, shall pay an annual vessel license of \$3.00 and a gear license of \$5.00 for the use of troll lines, set lines, or long lines as prescribed in Sec. 8 of this Act, in taking or catching fish for commercial purposes in the waters of this state.

Sec. 2. This Act takes effect on the day after its passage and approval or on the day it becomes law without such approval.